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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Christine DUPUIS

Application No.: 09/402,796

Filed: December 22, 1999

For: COSMETIC COMPOSITION  
COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE  
NONIONIC AMPHIPHILIC  
ASSOCIATIVE POLYURETHANE  
AND AT LEAST ONE ANIONIC  
POLYMER WITH FATTY CHAINS

) Group Art Unit: 1617

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Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant hereby petitions for an additional two month extension of time to reply to the final Office Action of October 23, 2001. A Petition and fee for \$110.00 was filed on February 13, 2002. Thus a fee in the amount of fee of \$ 810.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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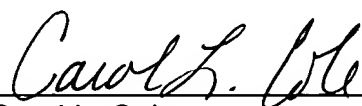
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Respectfully submitted,

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